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DEVICES BY A SINGLE MASTER  
CONTROLLER USING INFRARED  
TRANSMITTED COMMANDS AND  
BUS TRANSMITTED COMMANDS

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